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Subject: RE: follow-up on slide 13, please?
Attachments: RE: PFAS; Re: PFAS; [fyi] internal, draft - one-pager on PFAS inquiries

Internal, deliberative

We communicated with Linda Gaines (OLEM) on this topic in April of this year (see attached). Open to suggestions on how you'd like to proceed from here.

As we noted in April and prior to that,

"Although they are fluorinated, we do not consider any of the currently (or pending) registered pesticide active ingredients to be PFAS and have some concerns about confusion that may result from them being characterized as such."

.. and ...

"Thanks for clarifying that you used the ChemSearch structural filter."

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Also attaching the internal summary that we initially created for OPP/OCSP management in response to these inquiries, and then resurrected in response to the state inquiries in September.

Best,
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Who would be the best person to reach out to this EPA employee and understand their perspective and correct the record where needed. The presentation lists specific pesticide Ais that are PFOA? Please let me know how it goes and if I need to elevate?

Thanks,
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We asked OPP the pfoa question months ago and the answer we received was contrary to what is presented on slide 13..